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VIA ECF

Honorable Alvin K. Hellerstein
United States District Judge for the
Southern District of New York
Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: Vera v. The Republic of Cuba, 12 Civ. 1596 (AKH) (S.D.N.Y.)

Honorable Sir:

I am writing to make a letter motion to be relieved and terminated as counsel of record for defendants The Bank of New York Mellon ("BNYM") in the above-referenced action.

Between 1999 and 2018 I was Of Counsel to the law firm of Levi Lubarsky Feigenbaum & Weiss LLP ("LLFW"). In that capacity I appeared in the referenced action as counsel of record for BNYM, which was represented by LLFW in that action.

In 2018, however, LLFW closed for business and dissolved. Steven B. Feigenbaum, Esq., a former partner in LLFW who has appeared as counsel for BNYM in this action, is now a partner in the law firm of Katsky Korins LLP. He is continuing to represent BNYM as a partner in that firm, but I am no longer involved in its representation. For that reason I am making this motion to be relieved, terminated and deleted as counsel of record for BNYM.

Please note: my former telephone number and e-mail address at LLFW no longer work.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Kelley Nevling, Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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cc: All Counsel (by ECF)